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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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For

: MACHINE AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING A TISSUE WEB

COVER LETTER

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to file Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted (copy attached) of March 7, 2001, the period for response being set to expire May 7, 2001, please find enclosed:

- an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, attached to a copy of the application as originally filed (including 32 pages of specification with abstract and 7 sheets of drawings).

Also enclosed is:

- a Cover Letter Regarding Executed Application; and
- a check in the amount of \$130.00 as payment of the surcharge for late filing of the declaration.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Respectfully submitted,
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COVER LETTER REGARDING EXECUTED APPLICATION

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Sir:

The undersigned points out that the executed application being filed herewith includes copies of pages 1 - 3 of an executed Declaration forwarded by facsimile, and pages 1 - 32 and 7 sheets of drawings which were added by the law firm of the undersigned, which are identical to pages 1 - 32 and 7 sheets of drawings forwarded for execution. Further, the undersigned has been advised that the application was physically present when the inventors executed the Declaration.

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that the present application is properly executed and should be considered as filed in executed form, and that the present application be forwarded to the appropriate group for examination on the merits.

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Should there be any questions or comments, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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